

CORRECTED REPRINT

HOUSE No. 3978

By Representative Scibak of South Hadley and Senator Knapik, joint petition of John W. Scibak and Michael R. Knapik (by vote of the town) that the town of Easthampton be authorized to issue an additional license for the sale of alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises of the "Old Memorial Hall". Municipalities and Regional Government.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

**AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE ISSUANCE OF AN ALL ALCOHOL BEVERAGE
LICENSE IN THE CITY OF EASTHAMPTON.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Notwithstanding the provisions of Section seventeen of Chapter
2 one hundred and thirty-eight of the General Laws, the licensing
3 authority of the city of Easthampton is hereby authorized to issue
4 One Northampton Street Enterprise Inc., an additional license for the
5 sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises under the
6 provisions of Section twelve of said Chapter one hundred and thirty-
7 eight. Said license shall be subject to all provisions of said Chapter
8 one hundred and thirty-eight except said section Seventeen, pro-
9 vided, however, that the licensing authority shall not approve the
10 transfer of said license to any other person, organization or corpora-
11 tion or location other than the historic building located on the prop-
12 erty 1 Northampton Street/Map 51, Lot 29, and known as "Old
13 Memorial Hall".

14 The applicant has a period of three years in which to apply for the
15 awarded license from the Easthampton licensing authority. The three
16 year time period begins when the Easthampton licensing authority
17 receives the license from the Legislature. If the applicant has not
18 applied for the license within three years, the license remains with
19 the local licensing authority and can be re-issued to the same
20 location.

21 A license issued under this section, if revoked, surrendered, or no
22 longer in use, shall be returned to the Easthampton licensing

23 authority. The Easthampton licensing authority then may grant that
24 license to new applicant at the same location so long as the applicant
25 meets the criteria set forth in this act.